

Nonfiction

000's General Knowledge

Encyclopedias, almanacs and more

Fooled You! Fakes and Hoaxes

Through the Year by Elaine Pascoe

Social Networks and Blogs by Lori Hile

The Art of Reading with a Forward by Leonard S. Marcus

200's Religions and Mythology

Favorite Greek Myths by May Pope Osborne

Odin's Family: Myths of the Vikings by Neil Philip

300's Social Sciences & Folklore

Tsunami! The 1946 Hilo Wave of Terror by Scott Ingram

The Forensics Files by Discovery Channel School

Celebrity Activists Series

by Gary Chandler and Kevin Graham

Heroes of the Day by Nancy Louis

Heinemann Know It Series by Tristan Boyer Binns

How Government Works Series by Sandy Donovan

400's Languages

Mad as a Wet Hen and Other Funny Idioms

by Marvin Terban

In a Pickle and Other Funny Idioms by Marvin Terban

Scrawl! Writing in Ancient Times

by The Geography Dept. Runestone Press

500's Math and Science

Do You Wanna Bet? Your Chance to Find Out About

Probability by Lean Cushman

Using Math to Design a Roller Coaster by Hillary Koll

Adventures in Space: The Flight to Fix the Hubble

by Elaine Scott

Constellations for Every Kid by Janice VanCleave's

The Complete Book of Night by Sally Tagholm

The States of Matter Files Transform

by Discovery Channel School

Why Chemistry Matters: States of Matter

by Lynnette Brent

The Wolves Are Back by Jean Craighead George

Rocks and Fossils by Margaret Hynes

Rainforest Explorer by Sue Nicholson

Gorilla Walk by Ted & Betsy Lewin

Owen & Mzee The True Story of a Remarkable

Friendship by Isabella Hatkoff, Craig Hatkoff,

and Dr. Paula Kahumbu

Owen & Mzee: The Language of Friendship

by Isabella Hatkoff, Craig Hatkoff, and Dr. Paula Kahumbu

Looking For Miza

by Isabella Hatkoff, Craig Hatkoff, and Dr. Paula Kahumbu

A Walk in The Rainforest by Kristin Joy Pratt

Tooth and Claw: Animal Adventures in the Wild

by Ted Lewin

New animal Discoveries by Ronald Orenstein

Dogs Have the Strangest Friends & Other True Stories of

Animal Feelings by Jeffery Moussaieff Masson

Nonfiction Continued

600's Medicine and Technology

The Shape of Good Nutrition: The Food Pyramid

by Slim Goodbody

Team Moon: How 400,000 People Landed Apollo 11 on the

Moon by Catherine Thimmesh

A Dog'd Gotta Do What a Dog's Gotta Do: Dogs at Work

by Marilyn Singer

Marley and Me by John Grogan

The Siamese Cat by Joanne Mattern

700's Arts & Recreation

Balls! Round 2 by Michael J. Rosen

Director: Film, TV, Radio, and Stage by Lewann Sotnak

Team Spirit Series by Mark Stewart

800's Literature

Color Me A Rhyme by Jane Yolen

Opening Days by Lee Bennett Hopkins

Mississippi Mud by Ann Turner

Guts by Gary Paulsen

900's Geography & History

You Wouldn't Want to Sail on the Titanic by David Stewart

Explorers who Found New Worlds by Dale Anderson

Polar Exploration Adventures by Barbara Saffer

*The New Americans: Colonial Times * 1620-1689*

by Betsy Maestro

A Pioneer Sampler: The Daily Life of a Pioneer Family

by Barbara Greenwood

Roanoke: The Lost Colony by Jane Yolan

Liberty by Lynn Curlee

Blizzard! by Jim Murphy

The Great Fire! by Jim Murphy

The Day That Changed America Series by Shelley Tanaka

921 Biographies

Bull's-Eye: a Photobiography of Annie Oakley by Sue Macy

Rosa Parks: My Story by Rosa Parks

Despite All Obstacles:

La Salle and the Conquest of the Mississippi

by Joan Elizabeth Goodman

Through My Eyes by Ruby Bridges

26 Fairmont Ave by Tomie DePaola

The Double Life of Pocahontas by Jean Fritz

J. K. Rowling by Bradley Steffens

Sally Ride: A Space Biography by Barbara Kramer

The Man Who Went to the Far Side of the Moon: The Story

of Apollo 11 Astronaut Michael Collins

by Beau Uusma Schyffert

The world At Her Fingertips: The Story of Helen Keller

by Joan Dash

Alex Rodriguez Hit a Grand Slam! By Alex Rodriguez

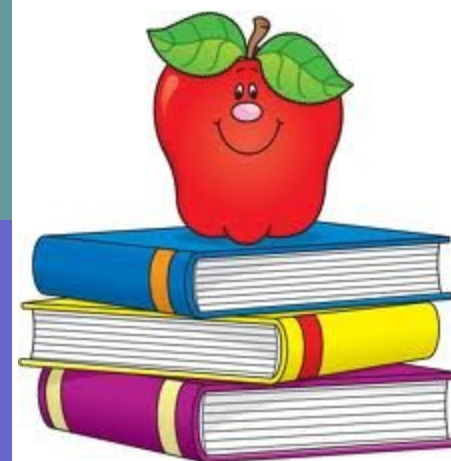
I Am a Rider by Jane Feldman

Ezra Jack Keats: A Biography with Illustrations

by Dean Engel and Florence B. Freedman

Suggested Summer Reading 2011

For Students Entering
4th and 5th Grade



Seymour
Elementary
Schools

Series

Fantasy

Chronicles of Narnia
by C.S. Lewis
Spiderwick Chronicles
by Tony DiTerlizzi
Artemis Fowl
by Eoin Colfer
Inkheart
By Cornelia Funke
Land of Elyon
by Patrick Carmen
Poppy
by Avi
City of Ember Trilogy
by Jeanne DuPrau
Redwall by Brian Jacques

Science Fiction

Gregor the Overlander
by Suzanne Collins
Guardians of Ga'hoole
by Katherine Lasky
Deltora Quest
by Emily Rodda
The Edge Chronicles
by Paul Stewart & Chris Riddell
Tunnels by Gordon Williams

Realistic Fiction

Hank Zipzer
by Henry Winkler

Adventure

Series of Unfortunate Events
by Lemony Snicket

Mystery and Suspense

Charlie Bone by Jenny Nimmo
Spy Mice
by Heather Vogel Frederick

Realistic Fiction

Hoof beats
by Kathleen Duey
Heartland
by Lauren Brooke
The Secrets of Droon
by Tony Abbott
The Amazing Days of Abby Hayes
by Anne Mazer

4th and 5th Grade Fiction

Fantasy

Indian in the Cupboard
by Lynne Reid Banks
Tuck Everlasting
by Natalie Babbitt

Historical Fiction

Sarah Plain and Tall
by Patricia MacLachlan
Ghost Canoe by Will Hobbs
Catch That Pass by Matt Christopher

Realistic Fiction

Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing
by Judy Blume
Because of Winn Dixie
by Kate DiCamillo
Granny Torrelli Makes Soup
by Sharon Creech
Sahara Special
by Esme Raji Codell
Misty of Chincoteague by Marguerite Henry
Ruby Holler by Sharon Creech
Love That Dog by Sharon Creech
Stone Fox by John R. Gardiner

Supernatural

Wait Till Helen Comes, A Ghost Story
by Mary Downing Hahn

Science Fiction

The House With a Clock in the Walls
by John Bellairs
The Maze Runner by James Dashner
Among the Hidden
by Margaret Peterson Haddix

Adventure

Whipping Boy by Sid Fleischman
Dog Song by Gary Paulsen

Comedy and Humor

The Million Dollar Shot by Dan Gutman

Mystery and Suspense

Hoot by Carl Hiaasen

2010 Nutmeg Nominees

Grade 4-5

Deep and Dark and Dangerous by Mary Downing Hahn

Dying to Meet You by Kate Klise

Extra Credit By Andrew Clements

The Gollywopper Games by Jody Feldman

Herbert's Wormhole by Peter Nelson

The Key to Rondo by Emily Rodda

Masterpiece by Elise Broach

Savvy by Ingrid Law

Signal by Cynthia DeFelice

Stolen Children by Peg Kehret

Mrs. Kirkland's Favorites (Past Nutmeg Nominees)

Escaping the Giant Wave by Peg Kehret

Saving Lily by Peg Kehret

One Handed Catch by MJ Auch

Fever by Laurie Halse Anderson

No Talking by Andrew Clements

Joshua's Song by Joan Hiatt Harlow

Elephant Run by Roland Smith

The Thing About Georgie by Lisa Graff

Loser by Jerry Spinelli

Belle Teal by Ann M. Martin

Night of the Howling Dogs by Graham Salisbury